Enlargement of area earmarked for SSI of Delhi

617. SHRI K. RAHMAN KHAN: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to enlarge the existing area earmarked for small scale industries of Delhi so as to include other non-conforming areas of Delhi to benefit industrial unit operating from those areas;

(b) if so, whether such attempt would be consistent with Government's step to shift such industrial units from the non-conforming areas to keep Delhi and its residents free from health hazards; and

(c) whether Central Pollution Control Board and other such agencies are proposed to be consulted before taking any final decision for enlargement of the existing industrial areas of Delhi?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI PON RADHAKRISHNAN): (a) No, Sir. There is no specific proposal for enlargement of existing area earmarked for small scale industries of Delhi.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Development of cities and poverty alleviation programmes in Bihar

†618. SHRI GAYA SINGH: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) the steps taken by Government to develop the cities and alleviate poverty from Bihar during the last three years; and

(b) the details of the future plan in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI PON RADHAKRISHNAN): (a) The Ministry is implementing the following Centrally sponsored schemes to develop the cities and alleviate poverty from Bihar:-

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†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

I. *SCHEMES FOR DEVELOPMENT OF CITIES:-*

(i) Integrated Development of Small and Medium Towns (IDSMT)

(ii) Accelerated Urban Water Supply Programme (AUWSP)

(iii) Valmiki Ambedkar Awas Yojana (VAMBAY)

II. *SCHEME FOR POVERTY ALLEVIATION:-*

(i) Swarna Jayanti Shahari Rojgar Yojana (SJSRY)

The funds released under these schemes during last three years are given in the Statement. I *(See* below)

(b) the future plans are as follows:-

(i) Under IDSMT programme the Government of Bihar has submitted a priority list of 33 towns as per Statement-II for coverage during the 10th Five Year Plan *(See* below). On receipt of proposals these towns will be covered according to their priority and availability of funds. During the current year Rs. 90 lakhs has been released for Darbhanga town.

(ii) Under AUWSP scheme, Rs. 401.38 lakhs has so far been released to Government of Bihar during the current year. Three AUWSP projects namely for Kanti, Janipur and Khusrupur at a total project cost of Rs. 485.07 lakhs are under scrutiny.

Apart from above, Bihar Rajya Jal Parisad, Patna has forwarded four project reports for Patna town seeking external funding. The details are in Statement-III *(See* below). The project proposals for Patna town have been prepared in two modules each *viz.* Module I and Module II and at present external funding have been sought for module I only. The Project Feasibility Reports (PFRs) have been scrutinized and the comments have already been forwarded to Bihar Rajya Jal Parisad, Planning Commission and Department of Economic Affairs for taking necessary action.

(iii) Under VAMBAY, a sum of Rs. 1104.37 lakhs has been earmarked as Central Subsidy for construction of 4300 houses during 2002-2003. A proposal for construction of 128 dwelling units at Gopal Ganj Municipality with the Central Subsidy of Rs. 25.00 lakhs has been approved in principle. However, the State Government has not yet completed the required formalities.

VAMBAY is a demand driven scheme and fresh proposal will be considered as and when received from the State Government.

(iv) The poverty alleviation programme:-

Swarna Jayanti Sahari Rozgar Yojana (SJSRY) will continue in the Tenth Five Year Plan.

(v) In addition, a project proposal of Inter State Bus Terminal at Mithapur, Patna with required loan amont of Rs. 700.00 lakhs is under consideration by HUDCO.

Statement-I

Central Assistance Released to Bihar During 1999-2002

(Rs. in lakhs)

Name of the Scheme	Central Assistance Released		
	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001-2002
I. Schemes for development of Cities			
Integrated Development of Small and Medium Town (IDSMT)	0.00	30.00	200.49
Acceleratd Urban Water Supply Programme (AUWSP)	319.47	Funds could not be released due to non furnishing of Utilization Certificate by Government of Bihar.	
Valmiki Ambedkar Awas Yojana (VAMAY)	Launched from December, 2001. An amount of Rs. 296.68 lakhs was allocated to Government of Bihar during 2000-2001. However no amount was released during the period.		
II. Scheme for poverty alleviation			
Swarna Jayanti Shahari Rojgar Yojana (SJSRY)	408.63	Funds could not be released as Government of Bihar has neither furnished utilisation Certificate nor released full State Share required under the scheme.	

Statement-II

Priority List of Towns submitted by the State Government of Bihar for coverage under IDSMT scheme

1.	Jainagar	11.	Fathuhaa	22.	Jhamjharpur
2.	Kahalgaon	12.	Jhajha	23.	Rosda
3.	Maharajgang	13.	Sultanganj	24.	Gogari Jamalpur
4.	Dalsinhsarai	14.	Shekhpura	25.	Lalganj
5.	Motipur	15.	Masoudi	26.	Sasaram
6.	Kaati	16.	Hilsa	27.	Motihari
7.	Virpur	17.	Vikramganj	28.	Samastipur
8.	Nirmali	18.	Dawoodnagar	29.	Dehri
9.	Badh	19.	Madaura	30.	Lakhisarai
10.	Jamuyi	20	Navgachiya	31.	Vagaha
		21.	Sugauli	32.	Mokama
				33.	Jamalpur

Statement - III

Details of projects for Patna town seeking external funding

(Rs. in lakhs)

S.No.	Name of project Feasibility Report (PFR)	Estimated cost of Module-I	Estimated cost of Module-II	Total
1.	Water supply system for Patna Town	15990.00	11310.00	27300.00
2.	Sewerage project for Patna Urban area	19804.00	15005.00	34809.00
3.	Storm water drainage of Patna town	54060.00	38110.00	92170.00
4.	Solid Waste Management Project in Patna	9100.00	3610.00	12710.00